

APR 11 2006

PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Serial No. : 10/710,442  
Group : 3654  
Applicant : Harry T. Edwards  
Filing Date : July 12, 2004  
Examiner : Matthews, Terrell Howard  
For : BAGGAGE SCREENING SYSTEM AND METHOD  
Atty Docket No. : RAP04 P-650A  
Customer No. : 28101

Confirmation No.: 4441

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date of this paper: April 11, 2006

Dear Sir:

PETITION AND FEE FOR  
EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed October 11, 2005, for a period of three (3) months.

2. Applicant is:

\_\_\_ a small entity

\_\_\_ Applicant claims small entity status.

X other than small entity

3.	Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
___	one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00
___	two months	\$ 450.00	\$225.00
<u>X</u>	three months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00
___	four months	\$1,590.00	\$795.00

4. An amendment:

X is filed herewith

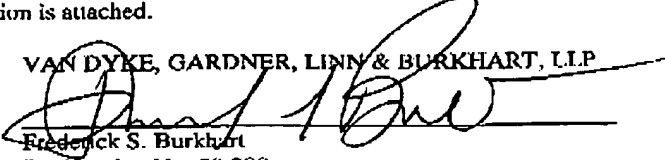
\_\_\_ has been filed

5. Fee Payment:

\_\_\_ Attached is a check in the amount of \$\_\_\_.

X Please charge the fee due of \$1,020.00 and any additional fees required to Deposit Account No. 22-0190. A duplicate of this petition is attached.

VAN DYKE, GARDNER, LINN &amp; BURKHART, LLP

  
Frederick S. Burkhardt  
Registration No. 29 288  
Post Office Box 888695  
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49588-8695  
(616) 988-4104

FSB:djr  
RAP04 P-650A

04/12/2006 TL0111 00000007 220190 10710442  
01 FC:1253 1020.00 DA